

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
(Approving Contract between the Tohono O'odham Judicial Branch and
Continental Flooring Company)**

RESOLUTION NO. 25-011

1 **WHEREAS, the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation vests the Legislative Council with**
2 **the authority to "consult, negotiate and conclude agreements and contracts on**
3 **behalf of the Tohono O'odham Nation with . . . private persons or organizations**
4 **on all matters within the authority of the Tohono O'odham Council"**
5 **(Constitution, Article VI, Section 1(f)); and**

6 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council is authorized "to manage any funds**
7 **within the exclusive control of the Tohono O'odham Nation ... and to appropriate**
8 **these funds for the benefit of the nation and its members" provided that "[a]ll**
9 **expenditures of these funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets"**
10 **authorized by resolution or ordinance (Constitution of the Tohono O'odham**
11 **Nation, Article VI, Section 1(d)(2)); and**

12 **WHEREAS, the Tohono O'odham Nation's Judicial Branch desires to contract with**
13 **Continental Flooring Company for installation of carpet and tile in the Tohono**
14 **O'odham Nation Justice Center; and**

15 **WHEREAS, the Judicial Branch submitted the contract (Contract) for review and approval;**
16 **and**

17 **WHEREAS, the contract amount, including contingency funding, totals \$162,264.21 for the**
18 **installation of carpet and tile in the Tohono O'odham Nation Justice Center; and**

19 **WHEREAS, the Judicial Branch proposes to pay this amount from the Judicial Branch's**
20 **American Rescue Plan Act Budget, passed by Resolution No. 22-070 ("ARPA**
21 **funds"); and**

22 **WHEREAS, this Contract exceeds the amount the Chief Judge is authorized to negotiate,**
23 **execute, and conclude under 26 Tohono O'odham Code Chapter 1, Article 4,**
24 **Section 1404(B) of the Nation's Code, and therefore, Legislative Council approval**
25 **is required; and**

26 **WHEREAS, the Judiciary Committee has reviewed the Contract and recommends its**
27 **approval.**

28 **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council approves the**
29 **FY 2025 Contract between the Tohono O'odham Judicial Branch and Continental**
30 **Flooring Company, for a total of \$162,264.21 for installation of carpet and tile in**
31 **the Tohono O'odham Nation Justice Center which will be paid for with ARPA**
32 **funds.**

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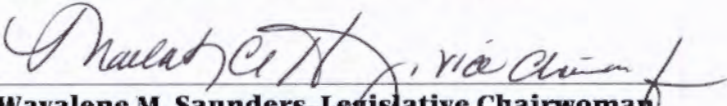
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1 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that nothing herein is to be interpreted as an express or implied
2 waiver of the Judicial Branch's, the Tohono O'odham Nation's, or any associated
3 Nation's employee, agent, executive, or other representative's immunity from
4 suit in any forum or in any jurisdiction.

5 **BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council that the Chief Judge, or
6 his delegate, is authorized to approve and execute the FY 2025 Contract between
7 the Tohono O'odham Judicial Branch and Continental Flooring Company, as
8 described herein, provided that any amendments must be submitted to the
9 Tohono O'odham Legislative Council for prior approval.

10 The foregoing Resolution was passed by the Tohono O'odham Legislative Council on the 14TH
11 day of JANUARY 2025 at a meeting at which a quorum was present with a vote of 3,263.3 FOR;
12 -0- AGAINST; -0- NOT VOTING; and [04] ABSENT, pursuant to the powers vested in the Council by
13 Article VI, Section 1(d)(2) and 1(f) of the Constitution of the Tohono O'odham Nation, adopted by
14 the Tohono O'odham Nation on January 18, 1986; and approved by the Acting Deputy Assistant
15 Secretary - Indian Affairs (Operations) on March 6, 1986, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June
16 18, 1934 (48 Stat.984).

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23 21st day of January, 2025

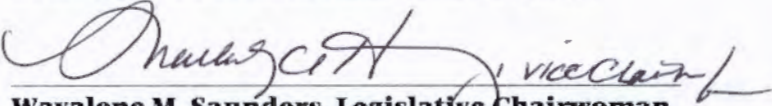
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28 **ATTEST:**

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31 Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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33 21 day of January, 2025

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35 Said Resolution was submitted for approval to the office of the Chairman of the Tohono
36 O'odham Nation on the 21st day of January, 2025 at 4:50 o'clock, P.m.,
37 pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution and will become
38 effective upon his approval or upon his failure to either approve or disapprove it within 48
39 hours of submittal.

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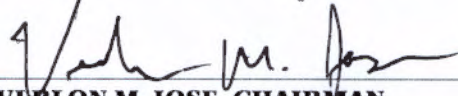
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on the 21 day of January, 2025

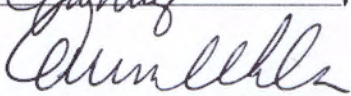
DISAPPROVED

at 8:46 o'clock, p. .m.


VERLON M. JOSE, CHAIRMAN
TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION

Returned to the Legislative Secretary on the 22 day of

January, 2025, at 8:45 o'clock, a .m.


Evonne Wilson, Legislative Secretary

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ACTION: APPROVING CONTRACT BETWEEN THE TOHONO O'ODHAM JUDICIAL BRANCH AND CONTINENTAL FLOORING COMPANY**MOVED: COUNCILWOMAN THEORIA CAMPILLO****SECOND: COUNCILWOMAN DELMA M. GARCIA****DATE: JANUARY 14, 2025**

DISTRICT	LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES	# OF VOTES	FOR	AGAINST	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
BABOQUIVARI 394.2	1. LEANDER MASE (Francine Schooling) 2. JESSE NAVARRO (Alberta J. Ray)	197.1 197.1	X X			X
CHUKUT KUK 354.7	1. VIVIAN JUAN-SAUNDERS (Cornelius Antone) 2. MARLAKAY HENRY ()	177.35 177.35	X X			X
GU ACHI 282.7	1. VICTORIA HOBBS (Tonya L. Joaquin) 2. JEROME F. JOAQUIN ()	141.35 141.35	X X			
GU VO 276.0	1. DALLAS LEWIS () 2. LESLIE LUNA ()	138.0 138.0	X X			
HICKIWAN 220.5	1. DELMA M. GARCIA () 2. LOUIS R. LOPEZ (Loretta A. Ortega)	110.25 110.25	X X			
PISINEMO 236.2	1. EDWARD D. MANUEL () 2. PAMELA J. BENAVIDEZ (Nora J. Ruelas)	118.1 118.1	X X			X
SAN LUCY 257.6	1. ROGER MANUEL (Christina Andrews) 2. GLORIA M. RAMIREZ (Lorraine M. Eiler)	128.8 128.8	X X			
SAN XAVIER 244.5	1. JANICE FELIX () 2. DANIEL L.A. PRESTON III ()	122.25 122.25	X X			
SCHUK TOAK 191.8	1. DELISA M. RAMON (Sharon A. Francisco) 2. THEORIA CAMPILLO (Rebecca Ann Valentine)	95.9 95.9	X X			
SELLS 558.0	1. EVELYN JUAN MANUEL (Arvada Liston) 2. JANET B. ELEANDO ()	279.0 279.0	X X			
SIF OIDAK 247.1	1. FRANCIS HOMEWYTEWA () 2. WAVALENE M. SAUNDERS (Mary Lopez)	123.55 123.55	X X			X
	TOTAL	3,263.30	3,263.3	-0-	-0-	[04]